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Attorney Docket No. 21402-221  
(CURA-521)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR OR Shimkets *et al.*  
APPLICATION IDENTIFIER:

FOR: PROTEINS, POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING THEM AND METHODS OF  
USING THE SAME

**Box PATENT APPLICATION**  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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**REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a new Nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b). This application claims priority to USSN 60/256,025, filed December 15, 2000; USSN 60/265,163, filed January 30, 2001; USSN 60/272,929, filed March 2, 2001; USSN 60/274,864, filed March 9, 2001; USSN 60/276,688, filed March 16, 2001; USSN 60/277,880, filed March 22, 2001; USSN 60/286,409, filed April 25, 2001; USSN 60/309,246, filed July 31, 2001, and USSN 60/315,600, filed August 29, 2001 each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety.
2. Specification (Total pages: 251);  
Specification (241 pages, not including claims or abstract);  
Claims (9 pages);  
Abstract (1 page)
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned)



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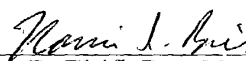
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4. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowanc e	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	41	- 20 =	21	\$ 18.00	\$378.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	4	- 3 =	1	\$80.00	\$80.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$260.00	0
SUBTOTAL:					\$1,198.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:					- \$0.00
TOTAL FEE:					\$1,198.00

5. A check (#11113) in the amount of **\$1,198.00** is enclosed.
6. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-221 (CURA-521).
7. Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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